IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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METHOD FOR IMPROVING : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT** PRODUCTIVITY OF PLANT BY

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated August 3, 2009, the period for response having been extended for <u>three months</u>, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.